

SEVENTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

DIRECTORS & SUPERINTENDENT

OF THE

WEST VIRGINIA HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE,

For the year 1870.



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R. J. McCANDLISH,	-	-	<i>Treasurer.</i>

DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

To His Excellency, W. E. STEVENSON,

Governor of West Virginia:

SIR:—The Directors of the West Virginia Hospital for the Insane, respectfully submit their Seventh Annual Report, being for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1870.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS.

At the date of the last Annual Report there were 202 patients remaining in the Hospital. During the year just closed 42 have been admitted, and 37 have been discharged or have died, leaving 207 remaining in the Hospital at the close of the year.

The whole number under treatment during the year was 244; the average daily number 205.

Notwithstanding most of the wards are greatly crowded, the sanitary condition of the Hospital has been good throughout the entire year, no general sickness prevailing. The deaths that have occurred, have been from causes peculiar to each individual case.

FINANCES.

The total current expenses for the year have been \$25,008 94, being an average cost of \$122 per annum for each patient, or \$2 34 *per capita* per week.

On the 1st of October, 1869, the balance remaining in the hands of the Treasurer and the Medical Superintendent of the Hospital was.....	\$10,438 81
Amount drawn by the Treasurer of the Hospital from the State Treasury during the year.....	30,500 00
Amount received by Medical Superintendent from Pay-patients.....	807 02
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	\$41,745 83

Amount disbursed for current expenses.....	\$25,008 94
Paid fees of Protest of Treasurer's draft on the Auditor.....	2 16
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	\$25,011 10

Balance on hand belonging to Current Ex. Fund.....	\$16,734 73
Of which sum there is in the hands of—	
R. J. McCandlish, Treasurer.....	\$3,176 90
R. Hills, Medical Superintendent.....	6,252 96
Loaned to Building Committee for construction account.....	7,304 87
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	\$16,734 73

On the 3d of March, 1870, the Legislature appropriated \$2,500 as a special fund for the transportation of patients.

The whole of this sum has been drawn from the State Treasury, and \$1,483 93 of it expended for the purpose for which it was appropriated, leaving a balance of \$1,016 07 unexpended in the hands of the Treasurer of the Hospital.

The \$800 appropriated at the same time to enlarge and improve the laundry apparatus and fixtures, has been drawn from the State Treasury, but has not been expended, owing to the constant and unremitting attention Dr. Hills has been compelled to give to matters of greater importance. It is intended as soon as the Doctor can spare sufficient time from other duties, to enable him to give his personal attention and supervision to the work, to have it done, and the funds will be needed and used for that purpose.

It will be observed the average current expenses for the year just closed, have been slightly reduced below what they were for the year ending September 30, 1869, giving evidence of continued, careful and judicious management, and the most exact economy on the part of the Superintendent and Matron, and their Assistants. It is not expected, however, that this very low average will be maintained in the future, and therefore the estimate for current expenses for the ensuing year, will be made on an average somewhat higher.

Should the expectations of the Building Committee and the Superintendent be realized with regard to the progress of the work on the centre building now under construction, and it should be so far completed by January next, as to be in a condition to be occupied by the family and for office purposes, we will then be able to receive about 43 additional patients, which will increase the number to 250, and provision should be made for the support of this number from that time forward.

Our estimates for the ensuing year are :

For Current Expenses proper, 250 patients at \$2.75 per week	
each	\$35,750 00
For transportation of patients.....	2,000 00
Total.....	\$37,750 00

We desire to state distinctly, that this sum of \$37,750 is *in addition* to the balances now in the hands of the officers of the Hospital, and the full amount of the balance of the appropriation made March 3, 1870, now undrawn and remaining in the Treasury of the State, which last named sums, amounting as we state them, to \$20,934 73, to account of "Current Expense Fund," and \$1,016 07 to account of "Transportation Fund," will be needed to defray the current expenses of the Hospital, and the transportation of patients between this date and the 4th of March, 1871.

In our last report we stated that there was then remaining in the State Treasury a balance of \$3,500 of the appropriation for current expenses, made March 4, 1869, and that that sum as well as the balance then in the hands of the officers of the Hospital would be needed, and would be barely sufficient to pay expenses until the Legislature would probably make another appropriation. That balance of \$3,500 was accordingly drawn by our Treasurer from the Treasury of the State between the 1st of October and the 5th of November, 1869, and although drawn by virtue of a former appropriation, we have recently been notified by the Auditor that he has charged that sum so drawn against the appropriation of \$31,200, made March 3, 1870, and that instead of receiving the full amount of that appropriation, we are to receive but \$27,700. If this ruling of the Auditor is adhered to, it will become necessary for the Legislature to provide for the deficiency very soon after it assembles in January next, or serious embarrassment may result.

The fiscal year ends September 30th, the Legislature meets in January, and the general appropriations are usually made just before the session closes. We respectfully suggest to your Excellency, that all appropriations made for the current expenses of this Hospital, and for the transportation of patients, be made to run from the time they are made to the 1st day of March in the next succeeding year.

Our estimate of \$37,700 as above, is for the time between the 1st of March, 1871 and the 1st of March, 1872, assuming as we do that the funds now in the hands of the officers of the Hospital, and that should be to its credit in the State Treasury, will be sufficient to meet expenses till the 1st of March, 1871, and that we may lawfully use them for that purpose.

We append to this report, statements of the Treasurer's accounts, with the several "Funds," to which we respectfully refer.

THE NECESSITY FOR ADDITIONAL ROOM.

There is still a large number of lunatics in the jails of the various counties of the State, and a few in private families, awaiting admittance to the Hospital, and who could be cared for here, more to their comfort, and with much less expense to the State than where they are, if there was room for them. New cases are of frequent occurrence; but owing to the overcrowded condition of the wards, no more can be admitted, until vacancies occur by discharge or death, or until more room is provided by completing other portions of the building. As soon as the center building is so far completed that the offices, and the sleeping apartments of the officers and family—which are now located in one of the sections designed for patients—can be removed into it, about 43 additional patients can be received as has been stated before, but there will still be a considerable number unprovided for. The exact number we are not able to state.

With the center building fully completed, and the section adjoining it on the north, also constructed, it is believed that sufficient room would be secured to accommodate all the lunatics now in the State, and all new cases that would probably occur for the next four or five years, and the completion of the building might then be proceeded with more leisurely.

WATER.

In our report of last year, we stated the necessity for an abundant and never-failing supply of pure water for the Hospital and suggested a plan by which it might measurably be secured, and requested an appropriation of \$5,000 to carry the plan into execution. As no appropriation was made, we beg leave to renew our recommendation, and to refer you to the statements and remarks made in our last report upon this subject, and to urge a careful consideration of them. In addition to what is there said, we will add that the past summer of 1870, has given us additional proof of the absolute necessity for the speedy adoption of some such plan as is there recommended.

In every report we have made for several years, we have mentioned and urged the necessity of an appropriation of a small sum, say \$500, for in-door amusements for the patients, but without success. We will do no more now than simply to recur to the subject, and express the regret that the Legislature has not deemed it proper to meet this great need of the Hospital.

For a more extended and detailed statement of the internal workings of the institution, we beg leave to refer you to the Annual Report of the Medical Superintendent, Dr. Hills, which is appended hereto.

It gives us sincere regret to be under the necessity of saying here, that Dr. Hills has determined to withdraw in a few months from this time from the position he holds as Medical Superintendent of the Hospital. We have known for the last two years that he contemplated this step at an early day, and it has been alone, as we believe, through the earnest solicitation of the Board of Directors that he has consented to remain as long as he has done. Dr. Hills came to our infant Hospital, organized and opened it in October 1864. Upon him has devolved the great labor not only of superintending its internal operations, but the directing and superintending the fitting up of the various fixtures and conveniences necessary to adapt it to the uses for which it is intended. He has applied himself to his task with untiring devotion, and with a degree of success not often attained.

In addition to his other duties he has, during the past season, filled the place of Architect and Building Superintendent upon the construction of the centre building, now so rapidly approaching completion. Within the brief limits of this report, we cannot speak of the value of his services to the people of the State, in his admirable management of this institution, as those services deserve to be spoken of and commended.

For the good he has done, he must look for his deserved reward, beyond the poor measure of man's approval.

Our regrets at the near approach of the retirement of Dr. Hills, is heightened by the certainty that we are, at the same time, to lose the services of his excellent wife, who has been Matron to the Hospital ever since the Doctor's connection with it. In the sphere in which she has acted, her duties have been no less ably performed, and scarcely of less value to the success of the institution, than those of the Doctor himself.

In view of the efficiency of the Assistant Physician, Dr. A. H. Kunst, and his constantly increasing duties, and the inadequacy of his former salary, the Board has increased it to \$1,500 per annum.

CONSTRUCTION.

By an Act passed February 26, 1870, the Legislature appropriated the sum of \$60,000 for the further construction of the Hospital building. The Auditor having consented to "issue his warrant on the Treasury from time to time, upon the orders of the Board of Directors, for such sums as might be needed as the work should progress,"—as he was authorized to do by the second section of said Act,—in view of the pressing demand for additional room, the Board of Directors decided early in the spring to commence the construction of the center building as soon as the season would permit; and work was begun accordingly, early in April.

This center building, as it is called, is 130 feet long, 72 feet wide and four stories high, and its erection next in the order of progress that had been followed in constructing the Hospital; the last section south of the center having been completed in 1868. The work was placed under the general direction of a Building Committee composed of Dr. Hills, the Medical Superintendent, and James L. Sandford and D. M. Bailey, two of the Directors; and under the direct supervision and management of Dr. Hills, as Superintendent of Construction.

It is proper that we should state here, that Messrs. Sandford and Bailey have acted as members of the Building Committee without any compensation whatever, and Dr. Hills has performed this very laborious and responsible service without any compensation except what he receives as Medical Superintendent.

In consequence of work having been suspended for eighteen months, considerable preparation was necessary for an active resumption.

Heretofore the stone for facing the outer walls was procured at quarries at a considerable distance from the building, and had to be hauled at a heavy expense. Upon resuming work last spring, one of the first things done, was to open a new quarry upon the grounds belonging to the Hospital, and distant only six hundred feet from the front of the building. Stone of a superior quality was procured, and a tramway laid down running from the quarry through the stone cutters' sheds to

the building, and upon this the stone is being hauled by a single mule at comparatively small cost.

A quarry of excellent lime-stone was opened on the hill-side in the rear of the buildings, and also a new coal mine; both within the distance of one-third of a mile from the building.

Extensive sheds for bricks, and two brick-kilns were erected, and other preparations made, which have been sufficient, with one power-brick-machine and a small force of men and boys, to mould and burn one hundred thousand bricks per week, and to manufacture them very cheaply; and supply them as rapidly as needed.

Upon examination it was discovered that some of the foundations that had been laid ten years ago, were insufficient to support the heavy walls that were to be built upon them, and they had to be strengthened, and in some places new ones put in. This occasioned some delay in beginning the superstructure.

On the 17th of June the first stone was laid on the walls, and such has been the rapid progress of the work, that there is good grounds for belief that by the month of January next a portion of the building will be ready for occupancy. Such is the opinion of the Superintendent of Construction, Dr. Hills, and his energy in pushing the work, and the accuracy of his judgment, warrants us in giving expression to the expectation that it will be so, *provided*, the progress of the work is not embarrassed by the want of sufficient funds.

FINANCES—CONSTRUCTION FUND.

At the date of the last annual report, October 1, 1869, there was in the Treasury of the Hospital, to the credit of the "Construction Fund," a balance of.....\$ 1,715 69

Since then there has been received—

For material sold, and use of machinery.....\$ 118 80
From the State Treasury, on account of appropriation made

February 26, 1870..... 40,000 00
Borrowed of Current Expense Fund..... 7,304 87

\$49,139 36

There has been paid out during the year:—

On debts outstanding at date of last report,..... \$ 1,717 31
For work, &c., on center building,..... 47,405 11
For exchange, stamps, &c.,..... 16 94

Total disbursements,..... \$49,139 36

We append the Treasurer's statement of his account with "Construction Fund," which is more in detail, and to which reference is made.

When the work was commenced in the spring, it was with the expectation that funds would be furnished from the State Treasury, from time to time, as needed to carry on the work, to the full amount of the appropriation of \$60,000, made February 26, 1870.

Up to this date \$40,000 has been received, and we were, a short time since, notified by the Auditor, that "no more money will be paid for construction purposes till after the Legislature makes an appropriation," and accordingly no more has been paid.

This notice to us from the Auditor, came at a time when we were indebted to a large amount to the mechanics and laborers employed on the work; and when the work itself was in such a condition that it would have been impossible to suspend operations without serious loss to the State and actual damage to the building, the walls being then raised only to the second-story, and besides, having drawn but two-thirds of the appropriation of sixty thousand dollars, the Board could not understand the necessity for legislative action to entitle them to receive the remaining third.

Under these embarrassing circumstances, when it seemed alike difficult to stand still or to advance, it was finally determined, after much deliberation, to go on with the work, and, if possible, roof in the building and otherwise enclose it before winter should set in.

In order to do this it became necessary to have funds immediately, sufficient to discharge the then existing indebtedness. There being at the time a sum in the hands of the Hospital Treasurer, to the credit of Current Expense Fund, the Executive Committee borrowed of that fund the sum of \$7,304 87, and applied it to the payment of the September pay-roll.

This borrowed money must soon be returned to its proper fund, as it will be needed for its legitimate purpose.

The Directors still hope that the Auditor may yet be able and willing to come to their assistance, in a sum not only sufficient to enable them to refund what has been borrowed from Current Expense Fund, but to enclose the building and finish a few of the apartments, so they can be occupied at the earliest day possible.

If the Auditor cannot give further aid, the Directors will feel at liberty to have recourse to the expedient of borrowing, until the residue of the appropriation of \$60,000 can be paid by the State Treasury.

It is by no means pleasant to the Directors to be compelled to resort to shifts like these to raise funds to carry on a State work so necessary as this, but they believe it to be better to do that than to stop the work at its present stage.*

In addition to the \$60,000 appropriated February 26, 1870, about \$17,500 will be needed fully to complete and furnish the center building. *The necessities of the Institution demand that it should be done at once.*

We also recommend and respectfully urge the erection next summer of the first section north of the center. This section of the building, when built, will afford room for about one hundred patients, and will

* NOTE.—At this date, November 17th, the building is roofed in and enclosed, and in a few days plastering on a few of the rooms will begin.

probably be sufficient to meet the want of hospital room for several years to come. Without it, all the insane of the State cannot have the benefit of hospital treatment.

We estimate that \$60,000 will be needed to construct it, and respectfully suggest to your Excellency, that an appropriation of that sum be made for the purpose at the next session of the Legislature.

Should the Legislature make an appropriation to continue the work as before suggested, there will be available to commence the work early next spring: stone and lime-quarries and coal mine well opened and in good condition for working, 100,000 bricks already burnt, brick machine and sheds and fixtures for making brick cheaply, ropes, derricks, tools, &c., valued at \$1,000, and three hundred saw-logs, now lying on the bank of the West Fork river.

With the appropriation herein recommended, promptly made and paid as needed, the Directors believe that the section referred to might be completed, under good management, ready for occupancy, against March or April, 1872.

We again commend the Institution and all its interests to the fostering care of the State, and humbly invoke the blessings of the Supreme Ruler of the universe upon it, and all who are in any way connected therewith.

N. GOFF,
President.

West Virginia Hospital for the Insane, Oct. 1, 1870.

West Virginia Hospital for the Insane in account with R. J. McCANDLISH, Treasurer, for the year ending September 30, 1870.

Dr.		CURRENT EXPENSE FUND.		Cr.	
1869	To Cash paid R. Hills, Superintendent...	\$ 2,000 00	1869	By Balance on hand.....	\$ 6,000 00
Nov. 19	" " " "	2,500 00	Sept. 30	By Cash of G. A. Jackson.....	459 76
Dec. 7	" " " "	3,000 00	Oct. 23	By " draft on Auditor.....	2,500 00
1870			Nov. 10	" " " "	1,000 00
Jan. 8	" " " "	2,000 00	1870		
31	" " " "	459 76	April 13	" " " "	7,000 00
April 14	" " " "	5,000 00	May 10	" " " "	5,000 00
May 18	" " " "	5,000 00	June 6	" " " "	5,000 00
June 30	" " " "	3,000 00	27	" " " "	5,000 00
Aug. 25	" " " " Protest on draft...	2 16	July 26	" " " "	5,000 00
31	" " " " Superintendent...	5,000 00	Sept. 30	" " " " of R. Hills, Sup't, transportation.	1,483 93
Sept. 30	" " " " Loaned to Construction Fund,				
	account.....	7,304 87			
30	Balance.....	3,167 90			
		\$38,443 69			\$38,443 69
			Sept. 30	By Balance.....	\$3,176 90

Respectfully Submitted,

R. J. McCANDLISH,

Weston, W. Va., Sept. 30, 1870.

Treasurer:

West Virginia Hospital for the Insane in account with R. J. McCANDLISH, Treasurer, for the year ending September 30, 1870.

FUND FOR TRANSPORTATION OF PATIENTS.		CR.	
Dr.			
1870 Sept. 30	To Cash refunded to Dr. Hills for am't advanced by him out of Current Expense Fund..... Balance	1870 April 13 June 29	By Cash draft on Auditor..... " " " "
	\$ 1,483 93 1,016 07		\$ 1,500 00 1,000 00
	<u>\$2,500 00</u>		<u>\$2,500 00</u>
		Sept. 30	By Balance.....
			<u>\$1,016 07</u>

Respectfully Submitted,

R. J. McCANDLISH,

Weston, W. Va., September 30, 1870.

Treasurer.

CONSTRUCTION FUND.			CR.		
1869.			1869.		
Oct. 4	To cash paid D. M. Bailey,.....	\$ 25 00	Sept. 30	By balance on hand,.....	\$ 1,143 77
30	" " J. M. Bennett,.....	488 33	Oct. 23	" Cash received of G. A. Jackson,.....	571 92
Nov. 5	" " Oct. Pay-Roll,.....	346 36	Dec. 7	" " A. C. Hale, sheriff,.....	
4	" " Nov. Pay-Roll,.....	233 47	Dec. 8	By cash received for material for court house,...	4 50
6	" " Do. (Supplemental,).....	406 50	1870.		
1870.			Jan. 13	By cash received of John Brannon for lime and plaster,.....	9 65
Jan. 13	To cash paid Dec. Pay-Roll,.....	215 51	" 13	By cash received of R. Hills, Sup't, for brick, mortar, &c.....	74 52
Mar. 18	" " Thomas Cox,.....	20 00	" 18	By cash received of D. S. Peterson for lime.....	1 75
" 29	" " Stamps, Exchange, &c.....	2 14	May 4	By cash received on Draft on Auditor..	6,000 00
April 14	" " W. L. Hudnall, hauling,...	40 93	" 24	" " " " " "	7,000 00
May 7	" " April Pay Roll.....	3,912 14	June 27	" " " " " "	8,000 00
May 11	" " May " " " " " "	6,341 88	July 26	" " " " " "	9,000 00
June 1	" " June " " " " " "	7,998 42	Aug. 7	By cash received of A. A. Lewis, for use of planing machine.....	2 50
July 2	" " July " " " " " "	8,204 20	" 25	By Cash received on Draft on Auditor	10,000 00
Aug. 3	" " Aug. " " " " " "	10,208 69	" 25	By cash of A. W. Woodford, for use of planing machinc.....	25 88
Sept. 3	" " Sept. " " " " " "	10,678 85	Sept. 30	By cash borrowed from Current Expense Fund.....	7,304 87
" 30	" " Exc'ng'e, postage, stamps..	16 94			
		\$49,139 36			

Respectfully Submitted,

R. J. McCANDLISH,

Weston, West Va., Sept. 30, 1870.

Treasurer.

West Virginia Hospital for the Insane in account with R. J. McCANDLISH, Treasurer, for the year ending September 30, 1870.

DR.		FUND FOR LAUNDRY PURPOSES.		CR.
1870		1870		
Sept. 30	To Cash on hand.....	\$ 800 00	April 13	By Cash draft on Auditor.....
			Sept. 30	By Cash on hand.....
				\$800 00
				\$ 800 00

Respectfully Submitted,

R. J. McCANDLISH,

Weston, W. Va., September 30, 1870.

Treasurer.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Board of Directors of the West Virginia Hospital for the Insane :

GENTLEMEN :—The Seventh Annual Report of this Hospital is as follows :

SUMMARY TABLE OF NUMBER OF PATIENTS.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Remaining in Hospital October 1, 1869.....	105	97	202
Admitted during the year.....	11	31	42
Total number under treatment.....	116	128	244
DISCHARGES.			
Recovered.....	6	10	16
Improved.....	3	1	4
Unimproved.....	1	2	3
Died.....	6	8	14
Total.....	16	21	37
Remaining in Hospital, October 1, 1870.....	100	107	207
Average daily number during the year.....			205

Our Hospital has been providentially favored with general good health and freedom from epidemics of any character during the past year. The deaths that we have had were nearly all of long standing chronic cases, and were inevitable in their character, being mostly of consumption. The recoveries have been very limited, and must necessarily be so, as there are so very few that are favorable for recovery. In nearly all cases under treatment the insanity has been of several years standing ; some of them remarkably long. In one case the insanity is of nearly fifty years duration, and the age of the patient near eighty-five years.

There have been few changes during the year because of the want of room for admissions. No male patient has been admitted since in the month of April, that department being crowded to excess. The especial reason for this was the necessity of taking the male patients from one of the wards they were occupying and crowding them into the remaining wards, to enable us to admit the most pressing of the female cases asking for admission.

There have continued to be numerous applications for admission, very few of which could be received. Some have been brought to our very doors that we were compelled to send home again, greatly to our regret, but it was impossible to admit them.

It is probable that there are now about one hundred who would be sent to the hospital promptly if it were known that they could be admitted, and somewhere from sixty to seventy-five of these are in the jails of the State. Some forty of these, it is hoped, will soon be provided for, giving us a total of two hundred and fifty patients, but the large number remaining must suffer and wait yet a while longer.

The principal statistical facts of the past year, and also of the entire period since the opening in 1863, are given in the following tables. We still think, as in the past, that more extended tables are unnecessary.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF ALL UNDER TREATMENT DURING THE YEAR.

Entry Number.	Date of Admission.		Age.	Social Condition.	Number of Attacks.	Number of Admissions.	Duration of Insanity.	Supposed Cause.	Form of Insanity.	Age at first Attack.	Suicidal.	Homicidal.	Hereditary.	Occupation.	Nativity.	Residence.	Result.
	1861.	1862.															
2	Oct. 22	F 26	Single	1	1	5 years.	Hereditary	Dementia	21				II	Housekeeper	Virginia	Harrison Co.	Died
4	"	F 27	"	2	1	3	Ill Health	Melancholia	22					Milliner	"	Ohio	Remains
5	"	F 39	"	1	1	2	Unknown	Acute Mania	27				II	Housekeeper	Ireland	"	"
6	"	F 37	Married	1	1	2	Domestic trouble	Dementia	35	S				"	Virginia	"	"
7	"	F 29	"	1	1	3	Ill Health	Acute Mania	26	S				"	"	Kanawha	"
11	Nov. 16	F 34	"	1	1	2	Unknown	"	32	S			II	"	"	Marion	"
13	" 18	F 41	Single	3	1	2	Hereditary	"	21				II	Spinster	"	Harrison	"
15	" 30	F 56	Married	1	1	6	Unknown	Monomania	50				II	Housekeeper	Germany	Ohio	"
16	Dec. 3	M 25	Single	1	1	3	Masturbation	Dementia	22					Farmer	Virginia	Gilmer	"
17	" 9	M 45	Married	1	1	2 1/2	Trouble	Acute Mania	43					Carpenter	"	Ohio	"
18	" 16	F 36	"	1	1	9	Dissipated husband	"	27					Housekeeper	"	Harrison	"
19	" 22	M 27	Single	1	1	4	Onanism	Dementia	23					Laborer	"	Ritchie	"
20	" 27	M 38	Married	1	1	2	"The War"	"	36					Merchant	"	Mason	"
1865.																	
26	Jan. 31	F 45	"	2	1	3	Uterine trouble	Acute Mania	42					Housekeeper	Germany	Ohio	"
27	Feb. 12	M 23	Single	1	1	3	Masturbation	"	20					Cabinet Maker	Virginia	Marion	"
32	Apr. 14	M 56	Married	1	1	2	Intemperance	"	54			II		Shoemaker	"	Kanawha	"
36	May 20	M 23	"	1	1	3	Measles	Dementia	20					Farmer	"	Randolph	"
39	June 10	M 47	Wid'wer	1	1	1	Sickness	Chronic Ma	38			II		"	"	Ohio	"
42	" 17	F 48	Single	1	1	8	Unknown	Dementia	40					"	"	Harrison	"
44	July 6	M 25	"	2	1	1 1/2	Wound	Acute Dem.	18	S				Army Officer	"	Ohio	"
45	Sept. 13	F 32	Widow	1	1	8	Jealousy	Acute Mania	34					Housekeeper	"	Upshur	"
50	Oct. 12	F 39	Married	1	1	2	Unknown	"	37					"	"	Lewis	"
55	Nov. 28	F 26	Single	1	1	7	Self-abuse	Dementia	19				II	None	"	Cabell	"
1866.																	
60	Feb. 6	F 26	Widow	1	1	1	Death of husband	Acute Mania	26				II	Housekeeper	"	Lewis	"
64	May 10	M 50	Married	1	1	4 years.	Intemperance	Chronic Ma	46					Tailor	"	Jackson	"
65	" 26	F 48	"	2	1	1	Affliction	Suicidal	47	S				Housekeeper	"	Pendleton	"
74	Dec. 8	F 36	Single	1	1	10	Hereditary	Chronic Ma	26				II	"	"	Ritchie	"

Unimp'd
Remains

TABULAR STATEMENT OF ALL UNDER TREATMENT DURING THE YEAR—Continued.

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76	Jan. 19	M	58	Married	1	10 years	Hereditary	Dementia	18		H	Farmer	Virginia	Taylor Co.	Remains
79	Apr. 26	F	25	Single	1	6 mos.	Ill Health	Mania	24	S		Housekeeper	"	Hancock	Died
80	"	M	26	"	1	4 years	Imprisonment	Dementia	22			Farmer	"	Marion	Remains
82	May 11	M	44	Married	1	6	Parents Cousins'	Acute Mania	38		H	"	"	Taylor	"
84	June 6	F	31	"	2	5	Hereditary	"	26			Farmer's wife	"	Upshur	Died
85	" 12	M	27	Single	2	"	Unknown	"	21			Laborer	Ireland	"	Reco'd
86	" 25	M	36	Married	1	2	Jealousy	"	34			Nailor	Penn'a	"	Remains
91	Oct. 3	M	23	Single	1	15	Scarlet Fever	"	23			Farmer	Virginia	Ohio	Died
92	" 12	F	29	"	1	6	Uterine	Dementia	8			Housekeeper	Penn'a	Preston	Remains
94	Nov. 1	M	45	Married	1	7 mos.	Hereditary	"	33			Farmer	Virginia	Doddridge	Remains
97	Nov. 23	M	47	Single	1	23 years	Political Excitement	Mania	14	S	H	Housekeeper	Virginia	Harrison	Improv'd
98	"	M	70	Married	1	29	Intemperance	Dementia	24			Whitesmith	"	Jefferson	Died
99	"	M	"	"	1	18	Unknown	"	41			Farmer	"	Berkeley	Remains
100	"	M	38	Single	1	17	Masturbation	"	31			Peddler	Germany	Ohio	"
101	"	M	50	"	1	18	Fever and law suit	"	32			Laborer	Ireland	"	"
102	"	M	64	Wid'wer	1	26	Intemperance	"	38		H	"	Virginia	Monroe	"
104	"	M	52	Married	1	22	Intemperance	"	30			Peddler	"	Ohio	"
105	"	M	58	"	4	15	Affliction	"	43			Artist	"	Jefferson	"
106	"	M	52	"	2	13	Unknown	Period'l Ma	39			Tanner	"	Taylor	"
107	"	M	50	Single	1	16	Syphilis	Dementia	31			Farmer	"	Upshur	"
108	"	M	42	"	1	15	Unknown	"	37			Millwright	"	Greenbrier	"
109	"	M	39	Married	1	15	"	"	24			Clerk	"	Jefferson	"
110	"	M	38	Single	1	12	"	"	26			Iron Roller	Penn'a	Ohio	Died
111	"	M	41	"	1	10	"	"	31			Boatman	Ireland	"	Remains
112	"	M	38	"	1	11	Masturbation	"	17			Laborer	Virginia	Raleigh	"
113	"	M	52	"	1	15	Unknown	"	37			"	"	Barbour	"
114	"	M	31	"	1	8	Affliction	"	23			Gunsmith	France	Jackson	"
115	"	M	20	"	1	8	Unknown	"	12			Laborer	Virginia	Randolph	"
					1			"				Peddler	England	Ohio	"

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	1867.																	
116	Nov. 22		F	44	Single	1	1	20 years.	Gastritis	Dementia	24			H	Housekeeper	Virginia	Ohio	Remains
117	"		F	40	Married	1	1	22 "	Ill health	"	18				Farmer's wife	"	Pendleton Co.	"
118	"		F	71	"	1	1	21 "	Unknown	"	50				Cooper's	Penn'a	Monongalia	"
119	"		F	38	"	1	1	16 "	"	"	22				Laborer's	Virginia	Wayne	"
120	"		F	57	Single	1	1	25 "	Ill health	Chronic M'a	32				Housekeeper	"	Berkeley	"
121	"		F	48	Married	1	1	19 "	Desertion	Dementia	29				"	Germany	"	"
122	"		F	44	"	1	1	18 "	Unknown	"	26				"	Mass.	"	"
123	"		F	68	Widow	1	1	20 "	"	"	40				"	Germany	Jefferson	"
124	"		F	45	Single	?	1	19 "	Typhoid Fever	"	26				"	Virginia	Ohio	Unimp'd
125	"		F	66	Widow	1	1	17 "	Unknown	"	49				"	Ireland	Gilmer	Remains
126	"		F	43	Single	2	1	17 "	"	"	26				Wid'w of lab'r	Virginia	Randolph	"
127	"		F	41	Married	1	1	16 "	"	"	25				Housekeeper	"	Jefferson	"
128	"		F	45	"	1	1	25 "	"	"	20				Brieklay's wife	"	Randolph	"
129	"		F	39	"	1	1	21 "	Ill health	"	18				Farmer's	"	Marion	"
130	"		F	33	Single	1	1	14 "	Measles	Chronic M'a	19				Physician's	"	Cabell	"
131	"		F	57	Married	1	1	16 "	Uterine disease	Dementia	41				Dau'r of farm'r	"	Hampshire	Reev'd
132	"		F	42	"	1	1	17 "	Unknown	"	25				Farmer's wife	"	Barbour	Remains
133	"		F	?	"	?	1	?	Domestic trouble	"	?				Physician's	"	Brooke	"
134	"		F	44	Married	1	1	10 years.	Unknown	"	34				Unknown	Unknown	Lewis	"
135	"		F	38	Single	1	1	11 "	Desertion	"	27				Farmer's wife	Virginia	Logan	"
136	Nov. 26		F	70	Married	1	1	20 "	Sexual derangement	Melancholia	50				Laborer's dau'r	"	Greenbrier	"
137	"		F	40	Widow	1	1	several	Change of life	Chronic M'a	?				Farmer's wife	"	Marion	"
138	"		F	?	Single	1	1	?	Unknown	"	?				Washerwoman	Ireland	Ohio	"
139	Nov. 27		M	47	Married	1	1	6 years	"The war"	Melancholia	41				Blacksmith	Virginia	Hardy	Died
140	" 27		F	32	"	1	1	1 year.	Domestic trouble	"	31				Farmer's wife	"	Harrison	Remains
141	" 28		M	33	Single	1	1	2½ years.	Exposure in army	Chronic M'a	30				Farmer	"	Lewis	"
142	" 29		M	50	"	1	1	unkno'n	Self-abuse	Dementia	?				Laborer	Ireland	Harrison	"
143	Dec. 4		F	57	Married	1	1	20 mon's	Constitutional	Melancholia	55				Housekeeper	Ohio	Brooke	"
150	" 4		F	50	Single	1	1	9 years.	Unknown	Dementia	41				"	Virginia	Hardy	"

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151	Dec.	6	M 58	Widow'r	1	1	6 years.	Intemperance	Dementia	52	S			S	Laborer	Ireland	Ohio	Remains
152	"	8	M 29	Single	1	1	1 year.	Religious	Acute Mania	28				S	"	Penn'a	Wetzel	"
155	"	19	F 28	Married	1	1	1 "	Hereditary	"	27				S	"	Virginia	Taylor	"
157	"	19	F 60	"	1	1	1 "	Domestic trouble	"	59					"	"	Barbour	Recov'd
158	"	19	F 24	Single	1	1	1 "	Hereditary	"	23					"	"	"	"
159	"	19	F 37	"	2	1	12 years.	Masturbation	"	25				S	"	"	Jackson	Remains
161	"	19	F 51	Married	1	1	9 "	Unknown	Chronic M'a	42					"	"	"	Remains
162	"	21	M ?	Single	1	1	9 "		Dementia	42					"	"	Greenbrier	"
163	"	22	M 32	"	svl	2	1 1/2 "		Acute Mania	46				H	"	"	Lewis	"
164	"	25	M 48	Married	1	1	1 1/2 "		"	46				H	"	"	Monongalia	"
165	1868.																	
165	Jan'y 1	M 65	Single	1	1	1	10 "	Unknown	Chronic M'a	55					Shoemaker	Unknown	Brooke	"
174	Feb. 14	M 24	"	"	1	1	7 mos.	"	Acute Mania	23					Farmer	"	Roane	"
175	"	20	M ?	"	1	1	?	"	"	?					Unknown	"	Wood	"
177	"	20	F 47	Married	1	1	12 years.	"	Dementia	35					Housekeeper	Penn'a	"	"
178	Mar. 14	M 59	"	"	1	1	5 1/2 "	"The war"	Chronic M'a	53					Farmer	Virginia	Kanawha	Remains
179	"	14	F 37	"	1	1	2 "	Unknown	Acute Mania	35					Housekeeper	Ireland	"	Recov'd
180	April 5	M	"	"	1	1	2 mos.	Religious excitement	"	35					Farmer	Virginia	Marion	Remains
181	"	7	F 20	"	1	1	1 "	Puerperal	"	20				S	Laborer's wife	Ireland	Lewis	"
184	"	24	M	"	1	1	31 years.	"	?								Randolph	"
184	"	24	F	"	1	1	21 "	"	?								Ohio	"
185	"	24	F	"	1	1	17 "	"	?								Wetzel	"
186	"	24	F	Single	1	1	13 "	"	?								Harrison	"
187	"	24	M	"	1	1	13 "	"	?								"	"
188	"	24	M	"	1	1	9 "	"	?								Jefferson	"
189	"	24	F	"	1	1	7 "	"	?								Kanawha	"
190	"	24	F	"	1	1	7 "	"	?								Ohio	"
191	"	24	M	Married	1	1	7 "	"	?								Lewis	"
192	"	24	M	"	1	1	7 "	"	?								"	"
193	"	24	M 80	Single	1	1	50 "	Intemperance	Dementia	30					Farmer	Virginia	Berkeley	Died
															Unknown	"	"	Remains

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	1863.																	
194	April 24	M	66	Single		1	1	33 years	Puerperal	Dementia	33				Laborer	Virginia	Cabell Co.	Remains
195	" 24	M	50	"		1	1	31 "	Hard study	"	19				Stud't Divinity	"	Jefferson	"
196	" 24	F	49	"		1	1	28 "	Disappointment	"	21				Unknown	"	Ohio	"
197	" 24	M	63	"		1	1	31 "	Unknown	"	32				"	"	Harrison	"
198	" 24	M	61	Married		1	1	36 "	Hard study	"	25				"	"	Ohio	"
199	" 24	M	46	Single	4	1	1	28 "	Unknown	"	18				"	"	Hampshire	"
200	" 24	M	60	"		1	1	28 "	"	"	32				Laborer	"	Wayne	"
201	" 24	M	49	"		1	1	23 "	"	"	26				"	"	Greenbrier	"
202	" 24	M	53	"		1	1	23 "	"	"	30				Coach painter	"	Ohio	"
203	" 24	F	45	"		1	1	25 "	Perplexity	"	20				Housekeeper	"	"	"
204	" 24	M	41	Married		2	1	21 "	Ill health	"	20				Laborer	"	Pendleton	"
205	" 24	M	47	Single		1	1	23 "	Injury of head	"	24			H	Farmer	"	Patnam	"
206	" 24	M	48	"		1	1	28 "	"	"	20				Shoemaker	"	Jefferson	"
207	" 24	M	47	"		1	1	18 "	Unknown	"	29				Unknown	"	Harrison	"
208	" 24	F	51	Single		1	1	24 "	Ill health	"	27				Farmer's dau	"	Kanawha	"
209	" 24	F	42	Widow		2	1	19 "	Dissolute habits	"	23				Laborer's wife	"	Marshall	"
210	" 24	F	41	Married		2	1	23 "	Ill treatment	"	18				"	"	Hardy	"
211	" 24	M	46	"		1	1	17 "	Dyspepsia	"	29				Laborer	"	Pocahontas	"
212	" 24	M	54	Single		3	1	17 "	Concussion	"	37				"	"	Marion	"
213	" 24	M	54	"		1	1	17 "	Unknown	"	37				Gardener	"	Berkeley	"
214	" 24	M	41	Single		1	1	16 "	Ill health	"	25				Laborer	"	Marion	"
215	" 24	M	48	Married		1	1	19 "	Intemperance	"	29				Lawyer	"	Hardy	"
216	" 24	M	46	"		1	1	24 "	Loss of arm	"	22				Laborer	"	Berkeley	"
218	" 24	M	31	Single		1	1	19 "	Unknown	"	42				"	"	Greenbrier	"
219	" 24	F	53	Married		1	1	20 "	"	"	33				Farmer's wife	"	"	"
220	" 24	M	19	"		2	1	16 "	"	"	33				Farmer	"	"	"
221	" 24	M	40	Single		1	1	14 "	Intemperance	"	26				Laborer	"	Wayne	"
222	" 24	M	36	"		1	1	28 "	Scarlatina	"	8				"	"	Harrison	"
223	" 24	M	57	Married		1	1	24 "	Fever	"	33				Physician	"	Jefferson	"

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224	April	24	M	38	Married	1	13 years	Domestic trouble	Dementia	25			Laborer	Virginia	Greenbrier Co	Remains.
225	"	24	F	40	Single	1	12 "	Unknown	"	28			Housekeeper	"	"	"
226	"	24	F	38	Married	3	11 "	Puerperal	"	27			Farmer's wife	"	Kanawha	"
228	"	24	F	53	Single	1	20 "	Unknown	"	33			Laborer	"	Jefferson	"
230	"	24	M	25	"	1	9 "	"	"	16			Clerk	"	"	"
231	"	24	F	54	Married	1	5 "	Small pox	"	49			Laborer's wife	"	Pendleton	"
232	"	24	M	28	Single	1	17 "	Unknown	"	21			Laborer	"	Logan	"
239	June	15	F	37	Married	3	6 weeks	Puerperal	Acute Mania	27		H	Housekeeper	"	Preston	"
241	"	24	F	45	Single	1	Unk'wn	Unknown	Dementia	31			"	"	Taylor	"
242	"	27	M	50	Widower	2	2 months	Ill health	Melancholia	28			Laborer	"	Jackson	"
243	July	15	M	34	Single	1	6 years	"	Acute Mania	19		H	Farmer	"	Mineral	"
246	Aug.	27	F	19	"	1	3 days	Hereditary	Puerperal	20			None	"	Upshur	"
247	Sept.	27	F	22	"	1	18 mos.	Epilepsy	"	32			Washerwoman	Ireland	Ohio	"
249	"	24	F	38	Widow	1	6 years	Intemperance	Acute Mania				Laborer	Virginia	Marion	"
250	"	24	M	30	Single	1	9 mos.	Blows on head	Melancholia				"	"	Greenbrier	"
251	"	25	M	30	"	1	"	"	Acute Mania	34	S		Carpenter's wife	"	Cabell	"
252	"	26	F	39	Married	1	5 years	Affliction	Melancholia	46		H	Farmer	"	Wood	"
253	Oct.	3	M	50	"	1	3 "	Constitutional	Suicidal	29	S		Housekeeper	"	"	"
255	"	3	M	22	Single	1	"	"	Acute Mania	?			Farmer	"	Mason	"
256	"	3	F	35	Married	1	5 years	Epilepsy	Epileptic M.	11			None	"	"	"
257	"	6	M	23	Single	1	"	"War trouble."	Acute Mania	25			Farmer	"	Ritchie	"
259	"	6	F	20	"	1	2 years	Cons. & ill health	"	21			"	"	Webster	"
260	"	6	M	25	Married	1	5 mos.	Ill health	Monomania	21			"	"	Weizel	"
261	"	7	M	21	Single	1	7 "	Ill treatment	Acute Mania	30			None	Ireland	Brooke	"
262	"	12	M	29	"	1	8 years	Bodily injury	Chron. Mania	51	S		Housekeeper	Virginia	Lincoln	"
263	"	15	F	45	"	1	14 "	"	Dementia	27			None	Ireland	Wood	"
264	"	16	F	52	Married	1	1 "	Domestic trouble	Melancholia	?			Housekeeper	Virginia	Taylor	"
265	"	23	F	27	Single	1	1 week	Sup'd loss of money	Acute Mania				None	"	"	"
266	"	25	F	?	Married	1	"	Death of son	Chron. Mania				"	"	"	"

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	1863.																	
267	Oct.	26	M	29	Single	1	1	10 years	Epilepsy	Epileptic M	20				Farmer	Indiana	Upshur co.	Remains.
268	"	28	M	21	"	1	1	6 months	Excitement	Melancholia	20				Laborer	Virginia	Pocahontas	"
269	"	30	F	32	Married	1	1	10 years	Constitutional	Dementia	22				Physician's wife	Pennsylv'a	Marion	"
271	Nov.	10	M	26	Single	1	1	?	"	Acute Mania	?				Farmer	Virginia	Hampshire	"
272	"	10	M	38	Married	1	1	1 year	Business trouble	Melancholia	?				"	"	Doddridge	Recovr'd.
273	"	10	F	30	Single	sev	2	3 months	Amenorrhoea	Acute Mania	?				Milliner	"	Wood	Remains.
275	"	24	M	30	Married	2	1	6 "	Domestic trouble	"	?	S			Laborer	"	Mason	Recovr'd.
276	ec.	28	M	17	Single	1	1	2 "	Onanism	"	?				"	"	Harrison	"
277	"	28	F	40	Married	1	1	9 years	Disappointed love	Chron. Mania	31				?	"	Berkeley	Remains.
279	"	31	F	40	Single	?	1	1 "	?	Melancholia	39	S			Nurse	Ireland	Ohio	"
1869.																		
280	Jan.	14	F	45	Single	1	1	15 years	?	Dementia	30			H	?	Virginia	Morgan	"
281	"	16	F	47	"	1	1	23 "	?	"	24				Daugh. of team'r	"	Upshur	"
282	"	26	M	25	?	?	1	sev'l "	Intemperance	Chron. Mania	?				?	Ireland	Cabell	"
283	Feb.	19	F	21	Single	1	1	7 "	?	"	14				Housekeeper	Virginia	Wood	"
284	Mar.	4	F	29	Widow	1	1	5 months	Loss of husband	Acute Mania	29				"	"	Marshall	Unimpr'd
285	"	9	M	25	Single	1	1	?	Disappointed love	"	?				Coal digger	Germany,	"	Remains.
286	"	12	M	30	?	?	1	?	?	Dementia	?				?	?	Kanawha	"
287	"	12	F	35	Married	1	1	1 year	?	Acute Mania	34			H	Housekeeper	Ireland	"	Recovr'd.
289	"	12	F	"	"	1	1	?	?	Nyn. Mania					"	Virginia	Boone	Remains.
290	"	25	F	23	Single	1	1	6 years	Dysmenorrhoea	Dementia	17			H	Daugh. of Phys'n	"	Putnam	"
291	April	5	F	23	Married	1	1	5 months	Ill health	Acute Mania	23				Housekeeper	"	Laylor	Recovr'd.
292	"	14	F	46	"	1	1	15 "	"Change of life"	"	44				Farmer's wife	"	"	Remains.
293	"	16	M	40	"	2	2	"	Bodily injury	Melancholia					Farmer	"	Calhoun	"
294	May	11	F	28	"	sev	3	3 months	Hereditary	Acute Mania	32			H	Farmer's wife	"	Lewis	Remains.
296	"	29	M	33	"	2	1	1 "	"Poisoning"	"	44	S			Carpenter's wife	Pennsylv'a	Marion	Recovr'd.
297	"	31	F	45	"	1	1	5 "	"	"					Painter & mason	Prussia	Ohio	Remains.
298	June	8	F	30	"	1	1	9 "	Jealousy, &c.	Melancholia	29				Laborer's wife	Nova Scotia	Hancock	"
299	"	15	M	26	"	1	1	2 "	Desertion by wife	Acute Mania					Laborer	Virginia	Berkeley	Died.

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	1863.																	
300	June 20		F	30	Single	1	1	19 mos.	Seduction	Melancholia	28				Housekeeper	Virginia	Pendleton	Remains
301	Aug. 12		M	71	Married	svl	2	9 years	Intemperance	Chronic M'a	62				Farmer	Penn'a	Marshall	"
302	" 14		F	39	"	3	3	1 mo.		Acute Mania	36				Wife of clerk	Virginia	Berkeley	"
303	Sept. 25		F	45	Single	1	1	2 mos.	Ill health	"	44				Housekeeper	"	Randolph	"
304	Oct. 1		F	41	Married	1	1	9 years	Unknown	"	32				"	Unknown	Braxton	"
305	" 4		F	57	"	1	1	9 years	"	Dementia	48				"	"	Gilmer	"
306	" 12		F	19	Single	1	1	3 wks.	"	Acute Mania	21				Housekeeper	Virginia	Ohio	"
307	Nov. 26		F	21	"	1	1	5 mos.	Amenorrhœa	"						"		Died
308	" 29		M	22	"	1	1	1 mo.	Ill health	Melancholia	22				Farmer	"	Gilmer	Remains
309	Dec. 4		M	25	"	2	1	3 mos.	Onanism	Acute Mania	15				Wagonmaker	"	Upshur	Recov'd
310	" 7		F	27	Married	1	1	3 mos.	"Severe labor"	"	27				"	"	Ritchie	Remains
311	" 15		F	26	Single	1	1	16 mos.	Menstrual	"	24				School teacher	Ohio	Marshall	"
312	" 16		F	23	"	1	1	2 years	"	Melancholia	21				"	Penn'a	Barbour	Improved
313	" 17		M	34	"	1	1	3 wks.	"	Dementia	34				"	Virginia	Randolph	Remains
314	" 22		F	42	Married	1	1	16 years	Constitutional	"	36				"	"	Barbour	Improved
315	" 27		F	36	"	1	1	1 year	"	Acute Mania	26				"	"	Jackson	Recov'd
316	" 30		F	45	Single	4	2	3 wks.	"	"					"	"	Jefferson	Remains
317	1870.																Ritchie	"
318	Jan. 6		M	29	Single	1	1	2 years	Business troubles	Melancholia	25				Merchant	Ohio	Hancock	Remains
319	" 6		F	29	"	1	1	19 years	"Disap'td love"	Acute Mania	27				"	Virginia	Grant	"
320	" 18		F	59	Widow	1	1	15 years	Unknown	"	44				"	Germany	Preston	Died
321	" 21		F	32	Married	1	1	8 mos.	Ill health	Melancholia					"	Ohio	Grant	"
322	Feb. 2		M	23	Single	1	1	1 year	Unknown	Acute Mania	22				Laborer	Kentucky	Ohio	Remains
323	Mar. 24		F	25	Married	1	1	8 mos.	"	"	24				"	Virginia	Harrison	"
324	" 25		F	33	"	1	1	9 years	Exposure, &c.	Acute Mania	24				Farmer	"	Tyler	"
325	" 28		M	27	"	1	1	19 mos.	"	Melancholia	25				Cooper	"	Randolph	"
326	" 29		M	41	"	1	1	4 years	Epilepsy	Acute Mania	16				Farmer	"	Kanawha	"
327	April 2		M	19	Single	svl	2	4 years	"	"					"	"	Upshur	Improved

TABULAR STATEMENT OF ALL UNDER TREATMENT DURING THE YEAR.—Continued.

Entry Number.	Date of Admission.		Age.	Social Condition.	Number of Attacks.	Number of Admissions.	Duration of Insanity.	Supposed Cause.	Form of Insanity.	Age at First Attack.	Suicidal.	Unmutilated.	Hereditary.	Occupation.	Nativity.	Residence.	Result.
328	April	11	F 46	Married	2	1	8 years	Intemperance	Acute Mania	36				Tailor	Virginia	Marshall	Remains
329	"	14	M 54	"	1	2	6 mos.	Menstrual	Chronic M'a	46				Farmer's wife	"	Jackson	"
330	"	23	F 25	"	1	1	3 mos.	Fractured skull	Acute Mania	35				Farmer	"	Wetzel	"
331	"	23	M 35	Single	1	1	6 wks.	Menstrual	"	25					"	Hardy	"
332	"	28	F 17	"	2	1	6 mos.		Melancholia	16					"	Harrison	Recov'd
333	May	3	F 37		1	1				36	S				"	Ohio	Remains
334	"	4	F	Married		1									"	Mercer	"
335	June	3	F 25			1	2 mos.	Epilepsy							"	Monongalia	Died
336	"	3	F	Single		1	3 mos.		Acute Mania	33					"	"	Remains
337	"	9	F 33	Married	1	1	7 years	" Ill treatment "	Chronic M'a	28					"	Preston	"
338	"	16	F 35	"	1	1	4 years	Unknown	Dementia	41					"	Gilmer	"
339	July	4	F 45	"	1	1	6 wks.	" Destitution "	Acute Mania	46					"	Pendleton	"
340	"	16	F 46	"	2	1	6 mos.		Melancholia	33					"	Harrison	Died
341	"	27	F 33	"		1			Acute Mania	26	S				"	Gilmer	Remains
342	"	27	F 30	"	3	2	3 years	Epilepsy & Deser-	Acute Mania	26					"	Mason	"
343	Aug.	8	F 36	"	4	1		tion.	"						"	Wetzel	"
344	"	31	F 25	"	1	1				22					"	Randolph	"
345	Sept.	6	F	"		1									"	Taylor	"

Statement of the Admissions, Discharges, and those remaining, by counties, since the opening.

COUNTIES.	Admitted since the opening.	Recovered.	Discharged.		Died.	Now remaining.
			Im- proved.	Unim- proved.		
Barbour.....	6	2	2	.....	.....	2
Berkeley.....	11	2	.....	.....	1	8
Boone	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Braxton	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Brooke	7	1	.....	.....	1	5
Cabell	6	.....	.....	.....	1	5
Calhoun	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clay .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Doddridge	4	1	1	1	.....	1
Fayette .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gilmer	9	.....	.....	.....	3	6
Grant	3	1	.....	.....	1	1
Greenbrier	11	1	.....	.....	.....	10
Harrison	27	10	3	.....	3	11
Hampshire	3	1	.....	.....	.....	2
Hancock	3	1	.....	.....	2	3
Hardy	6	1	.....	.....	4	4
Jackson	8	2	.....	1	.....	5
Jefferson	15	.....	.....	.....	5	10
Kanawha	12	2	.....	.....	2	8
Lewis	18	5	2	2	2	6
Lincoln	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Logan	4	.....	.....	.....	1	3
McDowell .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marion	18	6	1	.....	1	10
Marshall.....	10	3	1	1	.....	5
Mason	8	3	.....	.....	1	4
Mercer....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Mineral.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Monongalia	8	1	.....	.....	4	3
Monroe	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Morgan	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Nicholas.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Ohio	40	5	.....	1	3	31
Pendleton	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
Pleasants	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Pocahontas	3	1	.....	.....	.....	2
Preston.....	8	.....	.....	2	4	2
Putnam.....	3	1	.....	.....	.....	2
Raleigh	1	1
Randolph	9	9
Ritchie.....	8	3	1	4
Roane.....	2	1
Taylor	10	1	8
Tucker.....
Tyler.....	4	1	3

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since the opening.*

COUNTIES.	Admitted since the opening.	Recovered.	Discharged.		Died.	Now remain- ing.
			Impro- ved.	Unimpro- ved.		
Upshur.....	16	4	3	1	1	5
Wayne.....	5	1				3
Webster.....	2					2
Wetzel.....	6	1				5
Wirt.....	1	1				
Wood.....	14	3			4	7
Wyoming.....						
Totals.....	335	67	16	9	46	207

OCCUPATION OF MALE PATIENTS.

Farmers.....	65	Cabinet Maker.....	1
Laborers.....	35	Nailor.....	1
Unknown.....	16	Blacksmith.....	1
Clerks.....	4	Stone Cutter.....	1
Shoemakers.....	4	Artist.....	1
Carpenters.....	3	Tanner.....	1
Merchants.....	3	Student of Divinity.....	1
Coopers.....	3	Coach Painter.....	1
Physicians.....	2	Gardener.....	1
Printers.....	2	Lawyer.....	1
Pedlers.....	2	Boatman.....	1
Gunsmiths.....	2	Iron Roller.....	1
Brick Masons.....	2	Officer.....	1
Coal Miners.....	2	Cigar Maker.....	1
Tailors.....	2	Millwright.....	1
School Teachers.....	2	White smith.....	1
Plasterer.....	1	Wagon Maker.....	1

NATIVITY OF PATIENTS.

Virginia.....	240	Prussia.....	1
Ireland.....	25	France.....	1
Pennsylvania .. .	22	Switzerland.....	1
Germany.....	16	Massachusetts.....	1
Not stated.....	13	Wales.....	1
Unknown.....	9	Nova Scotia.....	1
Maryland.....	5	Indiana.....	1
Ohio.....	5	Kentucky.....	1
England.....	2		
Total.....			345

OUR INDUSTRIAL OPERATIONS AND PRODUCTIONS OF FARM AND GARDEN.

These productions have been very abundant during the past year. All the ordinary vegetables to the full extent of the wants of the Hospital have been produced—potatoes to the extent of about five hundred bushels, and corn about the same; also a considerable quantity of oats and hay—all the needed pasturage and corn fodder for our stock the entire winter. In the production of these our patients have voluntarily shared largely, and have undoubtedly, in consequence, been healthier, happier, more contented, and in better mental condition. With all the increased liberty extended to the patients during the past year, we have had no elopement, nor any known attempt at one.

Our opinion strengthens with our experience, that a very large proportion of the insane, where they are treated uniformly by the law of kindness, the great principle that distinguishes the management of modern asylums, their wants and desires being provided for—the home feeling being cultivated with the greatest care, especially with the chronic insane, a vast additional amount of useful light employment might be introduced into all our hospitals. These would greatly diminish the monotony of asylum life, the listlessness, or the nervous restlessness that brings discontent, dissatisfaction, and worse than all, a nursing of delusions that increases and perpetuates them, aiding of course to retard and prevent recovery, where it might be otherwise.

What, for instance, should prevent the introduction of such extended farming operations with an increase of stock, as would yield not only all our vegetables, but also all our meats—beef, pork, bacon, mutton, poultry, our milk, and some of our butter, cheese and eggs, all of our hides for all our boots, shoes, slippers and harness leather—all our wool for stockings, flannels, blankets and jeans for men's wear—all our flax for thread and cordage, linen for shirts, sheets, bed-ticks, table-cloths, toweling, strong dresses, summer coats and pants for men.

These productions, covering so largely as they do the most important wants of the Hospital, are every one of them the result of the simplest and easiest agricultural operations of tilling the soil, getting a breadth of good meadow and pasturage, and the simple shepherd duties of caring for cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry. These are proverbially the most productive of all known employments, in securing health, vigor, happiness, contentment, cheerfulness, a good appetite, sound sleep, a quiet conscience, and reverence for the Creator of this good world, and the good things in it.

These employments, all superintendents agree, are the very best for the insane, and a channel in which even a large portion of the quiet demented can be usefully trained and employed.

But why not go farther and introduce employments that involve another principle, not only the direct supply of our own wants, but the

yielding of a cash return that would aid in procuring such foreign supplies as can only be procured through that medium. For instance, in continuation of out-door employments, the devotion of a sufficient breadth of surface for a nursery of fruit trees, shrubs, vines and plants. With this might be connected a green house for propagating flowering plants, for our own use and for sale. An established arrangement for raising vegetable and flower seeds, also would afford employment to a considerable number of both sexes, in raising, gathering, drying, packing and labeling them for market. To this could be added the raising and gathering, packing and labeling of medicinal herbs—making their extracts, distilling their oils.

These are all simple operations, mostly in the open air, but with enough indoors for unpleasant days, and bad seasons. No capital is required, and the market is open and ample. As to a nursery and a seed establishment, there are none of any moment anywhere in West Virginia, or at least in this section of it.

For in-door work for the females and feeble ones, there is great variety, though we will instance but a single one as a sample, that of making *paper boxes and bags*, of which there is an endless variety wanted in the market, useful and ornamental, from a pill-box or seed bag, to a dressing box or flour bag. These are simple operations, cutting papers and pasting only being required.

A few employments only are cited to indicate what might be done. If they are remunerative to others, they can be made to aid in defraying the expenses of lunatic asylums, while at the same time they assist in improving the physical and mental condition of the patients.

OUR BUILDING OPERATIONS.

It is becoming that we give a brief review of these, but in very general terms. Under the direction of the Building Committee operations were commenced as early in the season as practicable. Much was required in the way of preparation. But few tools could be found, derricks were decayed and broken, ropes were rotten, sheds were to be built, a brick yard made, and a kiln constructed, lime stone was to be found and lime kilns reconstructed or repaired, a new quarry of building stone was to be found and opened, and a new coal mine also. These preparations were all made, and the coal mine and quarries of building stone and of lime stone found where, with all the other facilities for building, the combination is perhaps unequalled in the world. This is saying much, but let us see. Our building stands on the banks of the West Fork of the Monongahela, about six hundred feet distant from it, and a splendid quarry of fine grained blue sand stone has been opened on its banks in our front. On the rear of our building, rising several hundred feet upward, is one of the green clad, grove shaded knobs or ridges of West Virginia. In a cozy nook of this we have opened the best lime

quarry known to this region, seven feet in thickness, and the lime made is almost hydraulic, and makes a strong, quick-hardening cement. In the close vicinity of this, is our new coal mine, in a vein of unusual thickness and the coal of good quality. Superior clay for the brick is in the close vicinity of the building, in banks that are required to be graded away. Excellant sand is obtained in the bed and banks of our river.

Striking a circle with a radius of only one fourth of a mile, from the centre of our building—(the building itself being only a few feet short of one fourth of a mile in length,) the circle would enclose our building stone quarry, our limestone quarry, our clay banks, sand beds and coal mine; the product of the latter giving us our steam-power, for running a brick machine, that makes 25,000 brick per day—sawing our lumber and planing it, and furnishing the fuel for burning our brick, burning the lime, drying the lumber, etc. To this may be added, that the same circle includes our extemporized boom, or its substitute, for detention of saw logs, for lumber, that in freshets of the river are floated to within our wonderful circle; thus completing the round of all the essential elements of a grand stone structure.

Where is there another such building, with as many important elements within the sweep of a like radius?

These facilities have been used in the construction of our centre building the past season, and such progress has been made, that we feel a reasonable degree of certainty, that it will be so far finished, that it can be occupied in January next. If this should be realized, we can then admit about thirty more male patients, and ten or fifteen females, making two hundred and fifty in all.

OUR ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

We have been made the recipients of many favors during the year, for which we desire to express our thanks—especially are we indebted to the several clergymen of the vicinity, as well as several from abroad, for their gratuitous services upon the Sabbath. The usual services of Prayer, reading, singing and preaching, have been observed on about four-fifths of the Sabbaths of the year. These services are attended, always voluntarily, by a large number of the insane, and they are always orderly, attentive, and many of them quite appreciative. These services have been rendered by clergymen of different denominations—Methodists, Episcopalian, Baptists, Presbyterians, principally; though a few other denominations have been represented. We are very thankful for these services; are very sure they are productive of good, and trust the time will come when greater rewards than thanks can be bestowed in return for them.

We are under obligations, also, for continued supplies of several publications, Newspapers and Magazines within the State, and out of the state, and trust that the Hospital will be long remembered in this way.

To the various employees for the faithful discharge of their duties, sometimes under trying circumstances, are we grateful. It is only through the faithful performance of duties on the part of others, that the managers of such institutions as this, can be successful. Whether in the army or a Hospital, it is the subordinate who makes or mars success.

But to no one am I under greater obligations for aid, than to our Assistant Physician, Dr. A. H. Kunst. His services have been invaluable. For faithful attention to duties, kindness to patients, skill in his professional department, and honest integrity in all others, he could be no better, and more need not be said. May he receive in all his future years, the meed he so truly deserves.

Of the Matron, (who being my wife,) it may not become me to speak, but in the attachments of the patients, and the economy of the household, will her eulogy be found.

EXPENDITURES OF THE PAST FISCAL YEAR.

The <i>current expenses</i> of the past year have been	
Total.....	\$25,008 94
With an average of 205 patients; this is per capita per annum.....	122 00
Per capita per week.....	2 34
“ “ “ day.....	33
The <i>Transportion</i> expenses have been during the year.....	1,483 93

ESTIMATES FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR.

For current expenses, based on \$2 75 per week, for 250 patients	\$35,750 00
For Transportation.....	2,000 00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS.

Amusements—

Wall Illuminators, 6.....	\$ 4 00	
Chromo, framed.....	12 25	
Chromos, Brackets, Nails, &c.....	47 35	
Picture Frames and Glass.....	47 99	—\$ 111 59
Butter, 8,503½ lbs.....		1,765 15
Barrels, Tubs and Boxes.....		30 25
Blacksmithing.....		74 76
Baskets, Clothes, split and willow, 5.....		3 75
Blacking, Shoe, 4½ doz. boxes.....		3 55
Brick, Fire-proof, 500.....		25 00

Brooms—

Straw, 13½ doz.....	\$45 45	
Split, 1 doz.....	1 67	—\$47 12
Brushes, various kinds.....		28 49

Castings—

Cooking Range, less Tank	\$125 00
“ Column	14 00
One set large Steam Table Trimmings.....	30 00
Diamond Coffee Mill.....	12 50

172 lbs. Castings.....	17 20—	\$198 70
Concentrated Lye, 9 cases.....		74 25
Chairs, H. M.....		33 25

Clocks—

Marine, 6.....	\$ 30 00	
Regulator.....	36 00—	\$66 00
Cocoa Matting, 50 yards.....		75 00

Dry Goods—

Muslin, 1,586 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards.....	\$259 03	
Denims, 324 yards.....	73 91	
Mosquito Netting.....	1 50	
Hickory, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards.....	1 31	
Prints, 696 yards.....	104 46	
Bed Ticking, 53 $\frac{5}{8}$ yards.....	14 28	
Drilling, 14 yards.....	2 93	
Poplin, 13 yards.....	2 16	
Jeans, country made, 186 yards.....	151 67	
Linsey 59 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards.....	27 31	
Woolen Yarn, 14 lbs.....	10 59	
Balmoral Skirt.....	1 00	
Alpaca, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards.....	2 25	
Flannel, Factory, 147 $\frac{7}{8}$ yards.....	47 16	
“ Country made, 294 $\frac{1}{4}$ yards.....	213 91	
Linen “ “ 71 yards.....	19 07	
Wick Yarn.....	4 58	
Cotton Yarn, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.....	9 87	
Suit of Clothes for patient.....	17 00	
Umbrellas, 2.....	3 00	
Sundries.....	11 37—	\$978 36
Drayage.....		8 65
Eggs, 2,835 dozen.....		351 91
Expressage and stage freight.....		27 40
Fruit extracts, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen.....		2 50

Freight—

Railroad.....	\$276 29	
Teaming from Clarksburg.....	398 69—	\$674 98
Feathers, 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.....		7 25
Fruit Trees.....		100 00

Fruits—

Apples, 237 $\frac{1}{4}$ bushels.....	\$122 29	
Apples, dried, with and without peelings, 76 $\frac{1}{4}$ bushels.....	49 92	
Peaches, dried, 7 bushels.....	13 95	
Plum Butter, 13 gallons.....	9 75	
Apple Butter, 11 gallons.....	4 70	
Grapes.....	6 00	
Currants, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons.....	41	
Pine Apples, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen.....	10 80	
Lemons and Oranges.....	2 70	
Cherries, Bananas and Peanuts.....	1 30	
Blackberries, 214 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons.....	41 32—	\$263 14
Fire Clay, 1 bbl.....		4 00

Fish—

White, 1½ bbls.....	\$	27	50	
Herring, ½ bbl.....		5	25	
Mackerel, 1 bbl.....		30	00	—\$ 62 75

Groceries—

Coffee, 2,390 lbs.....	\$	587	31	
Molasses, 1,001½ gals.....		507	05	
Cheese, 112½ lbs.....		18	67	
“ country made 110½ lbs.....		9	58	
Sugar, brown, 4,518 lbs.....		681	61	
“ crushed, 783 lbs.....		126	14	
“ maple, 663½ lbs.....		110	55	
Salt, 17 bbls.....		49	95	
Candles, 5½ lbs.....		1	40	
Soap, Saxon, 600 lbs.....		51	00	
Starch, 40 lbs.....		5	00	
Ginger, 45 lbs.....		7	70	
Tea, 258 lbs.....		464	80	
Rice, 249 lbs.....		21	07	
Candies and nuts.....		12	00	
Raisins.....		16	05	
Pepper, 81 lbs.....		30	40	
Allspice, 27 lbs.....		9	75	
English Soda, 112 lbs.....		7	84	
Crackers, 95 lbs....		10	65	
Cinnamon, 9½ lbs.....		6	93	
Cloves, 3 lbs.....		1	65	
Nutmegs, 6 lbs.....		9	60	
Arrow Root, 1 lb.....			75	
Baking Powder, 43 lbs.....		4	30	—\$2,751 75

Gas—

Residuum for making.....	\$157	50	
Retort, drilling same, &c.....	34	55	—\$ 192 05

Glue, Irish, 6 lbs.....			2 40
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Hardware—

Hinges, 23 prs.....	\$	2	80	
Screws, 9¾ gross.....		8	03	
Nails, 40 lbs.....		3	16	
Mill saw files, 3.....		3	50	
Finishing nails, 4 papers.....		80		
Meal sieve.....		50		
Lime sieve.....		1	50	
Curry comb.....		25		
Corn hoes, 2.....		1	50	
Hand saw files, 4.....		80		
Candlesticks, 4.....		50		
Bureau knobs, 1 doz.....		35		
Coal shovels, 3.....		6	00	
Iron, 8½ lbs.....		53		
Tacks, 3 papers.....		20		
Plow points, 4, and spider.....		6	05	
Bedstead fasteners, 2 sets.....		50		
Smoothing irons.....		2	80	
Faucet.....		20		

Gimblets, 5.....	15	
Fish Hooks.....	50	
Whet stones,	40	
Pad lock.....	25	
Trowel.....	50	
Chest lock.....	20	
Grain shovel....	2 00—\$	43 97
Hats, men's, 3½ doz.....		33 55
<i>Ink—</i>		
Black.....\$	1 25	
Red.....	40	
Indelible.....	3 50—\$	5 15
Lamp chimneys and wicks.....		1 70
Lard, 377¼ lbs.....		37 71
<i>Meats—</i>		
Pork, 5,977 lbs.....\$	588 23	
Beef on foot.....	30 00	
Beef, fresh, 6,675 lbs.....	428 81	
Chickens, 6½ doz.....	12 13	
“ dressed, 1,215½ lbs.....	93 32	
Mutton, 3,083¼ lbs.....	184 25	
Geese, 235¼ lbs.....	15 62	
Turkeys, dressed, 1,150 lbs.....	87 20	
Squirrels, 8 11-12 doz.....	4 38	
Venison, 15¼ lbs.....	1 53	
Bacon, 45 lbs.....	5 24—\$	1,450 71
<i>Medical Department—</i>		
Drugs, including liquors.....	\$448 54	
Hernia trusses, 2.....	2 25—\$	450 79
Matches, 2½ gross.....		7 80
<i>Machines, grass—</i>		
Mower	\$ 108 00	
Lawn mower.....	27 00	
Tiffin rake.....	9 00—\$	144 00
Manure, 105 loads.....		77 83
<i>Notions—</i>		
Combs.....\$	2 11	
Knitting needles.....	65	
Thimbles.....	50	
Buttons.....	5 73	
Cravat, gloves, &c.....	40	
Thread, patent and home-made, 12 lbs.....	15 65	
Cotton thread.....	7 73	
Sewing needles	10	
Window cord.....	5 00	
Gas shades, 6.....	2 22	
Braid.....	10	
Toilet soap.....	3 50	
Fans	1 10	
Hooks and eyes, 3 gross.....	60	
Fish lines.....	1 25	
Sundries.....	55—\$	47 19

Oils—

Lard, 15 galls.....	\$	30	00
Carbon, 33 gallons.....		17	00
Fish.....			50
Turpentine.....		1	00
Coach varnish, $\frac{1}{2}$ gall.....		3	50—\$ 52 00

Produce—

Potatoes, 150 bush.....	\$	102	44
“ sweet, 71 $\frac{1}{4}$ bush.....		105	72
Corn, 361 $\frac{3}{8}$ bush.....		261	15
Corn meal, 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ bush.....		26	16
Wheat flour, 378 $\frac{1}{2}$ bbls.....		2,616	20
Rye flour, 2 bbls.....		15	00
Cabbage, 980 heads.....		45	75
Beans, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ bush.....		1	75
Turnips, 38 $\frac{3}{4}$ bush.....		12	10
Onions, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ bush.....		1	12
Beets, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ bush.....			63
Pumpkins, 2			20
Watermelons, 7.....		1	55
Hops, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs.....		1	12
Oats, 463 $\frac{3}{4}$ bush.....		185	65
Oats, sheaf, 53 5-12 doz.....		26	83
Privilege of grass on 10 acre meadow.....		130	00
Straw, stack, 2.....		10	00
Straw, load, 3.....		15	00
Parsnips, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ bush.....			80
Hominy, 1 bbl		6	50
Sage, 2 lbs		1	75—\$3,567 42

Printing—

5 reams note heads.....	\$	25	00
1,500 bill heads.....		8	00— 33 00
Plowing on farm.....			51 00
Postage and box rent.....			38 98

Pay Rolls for Painting, Plastering, Whitewashing, &c.—

January.....	\$	138	45
February		195	38
March		155	30
April		24	75—\$ 513 88
Queensware			80 25

Repairs—

Harness, restraints, &c.....	\$	36	35
Tuning and repairing piano		8	00
Wagon repairing.....		12	25—\$ 56 60
Reel for yarn and thread.....			2 50
Restraints			175 50
Rope, 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs.....			2 37

Stationery—

Envelopes and paper.....		5	50
Time books.....		1	10
Stereoscopic blanks, 300.....		3	75—\$ 10 85

Shoe Department—

Shoes, 48 pairs.....	\$	103	92	
Sole leather, 30½ lbs.....		11	49	
Shoe buffer			25	
Lasts, 10 pairs.....		5	32	
Making and repairing shoes.....		69	17	
Shoe thread, 2 balls.....		30	—	\$ 190 45
Sealing wax, 2½ lbs.....				40
Sand and Emery paper.....				1 45

Seeds—

Clover, ½ bush.....	\$	5	25	
Timothy, ½ bush.....		5	00	
Blue grass, 2 bush.....		5	00	
Garden		18	64	
Bird, 48 lbs		6	70	
Onion sets.....		2	13	—\$ 42 72

Sundries—

Extract Lemon.....			25	
Fly paper.....			50	
Fish bone.....			15	
Citron, 1 lb.....		50	—	\$ 1 40

Superintendent's and Assistant Matron's expenses to Superintendents' Association in Hartford, Conn.....				100 00
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Salaries of Officers and Employees—

October.....	\$	910	77	
November.....		899	00	
December.....		935	50	
January		930	02	
February.....		882	71	
March.....		941	25	
April		792	95	
May.....		689	00	
June.....		699	45	
July		704	60	
August.....		617	66	
September		682	58	—\$9,685 49

Toll.....				4 23
Telegraphing.....				3 07
Tin ware and tin ware repairing.....				103 60
Tallow, 93½ lbs.....				8 83

Wood Ware—

Rakes, 1 doz.....	\$	2	75	
Axe handles, 2.....			40	
Buckets, 3.....		90	—	\$ 4 05

Total				\$25,008 94
Transportation of 31 patients from various counties in the State.....	\$1,438	35		
Sending patients home.....	45	58	—	\$1,483 93
				<hr/> \$26,492 87

List of Officers and Employees of the Hospital, and their salaries, at the present date.

	PER ANNUM.
R. Hills, M.D., Superintendent.....	\$2,000 00
A. H. Kunst, M.D., Assistant Physician.....	1,200 00
Mrs. Emily G. Hills, Matron.....	400 00
Mrs. Fannie H. Ely, Assistant Matron.....	200 00
Miss C. E. Roberts, Supervisor.....	200 00
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	\$4,000 00
	PER MONTH
Jacob Nicoles, Attendant.....	\$28 00
F. E. Steinbeck, ".....	25 00
J. G. Apple, ".....	25 00
J. W. Walker, ".....	20 00
James McWelch ".....	20 00
Mrs. Mary Alexander, Attendant.....	13 00
Mary Schæffer, ".....	12 00
P. Turner, ".....	10 00
Phebe J. Teter, ".....	10 00
Virginia Alexander, ".....	8 00
Margaret Moran, ".....	10 00
Roanna West, Housekeeper.....	8 00
H. McNemar, Cook.....	10 00
Eliza Bradburry, Cook.....	8 00
Mary A. Stasel, ".....	8 00
Lucy Hymes, ".....	6 00
Mary J. Heckart, Laundress.....	8 00
Mrs. J. Foreman, Seamstress.....	8 00
Mary L. Foreman, Ironer.....	6 00
Peter Simmons, Teamster.....	20 00
Holderidge Alexander, Farm Hand.....	20 00
D. Feagens, Engineer, (without board).....	52 00
Jas. B. Lovett, " ".....	50 00
Thos. Bush, Fireman, " ".....	40 00
Wm. H. Bragg, Night Watch, (without board).....	45 00

MY RETIREMENT.

Although another meeting of the Board may intervene between this and the event to which your attention is about to be called, it is proper that you should now be apprised of the approaching termination of my labors and duties as Superintendent of this Institution. It is especially proper that your attention be called to this matter now, in view of this being the last annual report which it will be my duty to prepare.

Six years have elapsed since our arrival here with the nine patients with which we opened this Hospital, occupying then the extreme southern one-story wing of the building. We have been successively finishing and occupying other sections of the structure, until we are now about to enter and occupy the centre building, having advanced from the humble beginning with nine patients to the present number of over two hundred, and that number to be soon increased to two hundred and fifty.

When we accepted the urgent call to leave our post of duty in Ohio, to aid in opening and developing the Hospital of West Virginia, it was with confident assurances of belief that there would be a steady progress

in the improvement, so that by this period the Hospital would be fully developed, leaving little or nothing for the Superintendent to do but the regular and ordinary duties of managing an established institution. That expectation has been only partially realized: The development, for good and sufficient reasons doubtless, has progressed only to and including the centre building,—but, in the mean time, the years have gone by and the period of time arrived when, after full forty years of hard professional labor, fifteen of them in the management of the insane, I have long contemplated retiring from such laborious and responsible duties as the position demands. This desire has been well known to this Board for at least two or three years. It is possible that the coincidence of this period arriving just at the time of a political change in the State government, may convey the impression to others that the retirement is in part suggested by such change. This is not in the slightest degree the case. In a few weeks or months that period in life will have arrived to which I have long been looking as a suitable one to drop into retirement or into less responsible and wearing duties. I shall then have spent my three-score-years upon the earth, and should Providence spare me the allotted additional ten, duty to myself and duty the public require that they should be spent elsewhere than in a hospital for the insane. I therefore tender to you my resignation, to take effect on the first day of July, 1871. This time is named for two or three simple reasons: It will give time for the deliberate action of the Board in view of the change. It will also enable a successor to prepare himself for assuming the duties. It will also enable me to aid in completing the centre building and put its surroundings in order, should an appropriation be made that would enable even so much to be accomplished; and lastly, it will just complete the fifteenth year of my service in the specialty.

Before closing, permit me again, in view of the coincidence of my retirement and the change in the State government, and the inferences that may arise in the minds of some, to express the hope that the benevolent institutions of West Virginia will never be made political foot-balls, that the good men of all parties will unite in the effort to avoid the sad experiences of several of the other States, by combatting and warding off the conclusion that political changes in the State government, must, as a matter of course, revolutionize them. My knowledge of the experiences of others, and the near approach of my own retirement, will, I trust, permit the freedom of this admonition. A sad day will dawn upon these institutions if such admonition be unheeded.

I shall ever remember, with most grateful heart, the uniform kindness, friendship and sympathy that have been extended to me and to my family by this Board. Accept my hearty wishes for your personal welfare and happiness, and may God in all the future hold his protecting hand over the institution in your care.

Respectfully Submitted,

R. HILLS.

WESTON, WEST VA., Nov. 3, 1870: